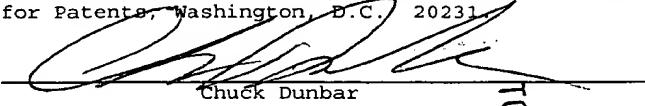


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Dear Sir:

A substitute Statement of Status as a Small Entity-Independent Inventor and a substitute Statement of Status as a Small Business Entity are being filed herewith.

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The undersigned acknowledges that he/she has a duty to file a notification of any change in status of this application and any patent(s) issuing therefrom which change results in a loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to, or at the time of paying, the earlier of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due

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By: ? Date: 30/1/2000
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Dear Sir:

The undersigned affirms:

That he is an officer of the assignee, AlmondNet Ltd., and is empowered to act on behalf of the assignee;

That the above listed assignee qualifies as a small business concern as defined in § 1.9(d), in that the above listed assignee, together with all of its affiliates combined had fewer than five hundred (500) employees including full-time, part-time, and temporary employees on the average during each pay period of the previous fiscal year of the assignee and its affiliates; and,

That the exclusive rights to the invention have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern or, if the rights are not exclusive, that all other rights belong to small entities as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and that the assignee has not assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed, and is under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license any rights in the invention to any person who could not be classified as an independent inventor under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(e).

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